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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

ABRIGNANI et al.

Confirmation No.: 6900

Serial No.: 09/755,251

Group Art Unit: 1648

Filing Date: January 5, 2001

Examiner: D. Wortman

Title:

**BINDING PROTEIN** 

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested in order to respond to the Office Action mailed June 27, 2003.

X Three months from September 27, 2003 to December 27, 2003. The extension fee is

\_\_\$475 <u>X</u>\$950

X A check to cover the \$950 extension fee is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 12/18/03

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